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This communication is to inform Applicants that the labels for 3 of the drawings filed 12/17/2004 has been changed to match their descriptions at page 16 of the specification. The schematic of TREK ion channel showing structure and location of the His tags protein in the protein did not originally have a label, but this drawing has now been labelled as Figure 2. In addition, the representation of the magnetic activation of TREK-1 monitored via downstream changes in intracellular calcium was originally labelled as Figure 2, but this drawing has now been relabelled as Figure 3. Finally, the representation of the magnetic activation of TREK-1 inducing transient rise in intracellular calcium in HEK293T cells was originally labelled as Figure 3, but this drawing has now been relabelled as Figure 4.
Please note that the drawing with the label Figure 4 filed 08/26/2009 now corresponds to the drawing that has been now labelled as Figure 2.

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